

**IN THE UNITED STATES  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Appl. No. : 09/891,712  
Applicant(s): Glenn R. Engel, et al.  
Filed: June 25, 2001  
TC/A.U.: 2100/2181  
Examiner: Niketa I. Patel  
Atty. Docket: 10003416-01  
Confirmation No.: 1807  
Title: CONFIGURING NETWORK DEVICES

**EXTENSION OF TIME**

Honorable Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In connection with the Notice of Appeal dated **November 28, 2008**, Applicants respectfully petition for a one month extension of time to file the Appeal Brief. Permission is hereby given to charge Deposit Account No. 50-0238 for the fee for the extension.

**Conclusion**

In view of the foregoing, applicant(s) respectfully request(s) that the Examiner withdraw the objection(s) and/or rejection(s) of record, allow all the pending claims, and find the application in condition for allowance.

If any points remain in issue that may best be resolved through a personal or telephonic interview, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of:  
Agilent Technologies, Inc.

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